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**FOR SALE.**  
1 Reg. Cycle Station, will take  
better or heavy loadings for part  
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Saddle, Pommel, broke to saddle and  
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1 Bay Gelding, 1100 lbs., 4 years  
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# The Western Globe.

Lacombe, Alta.



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## House Cleaning

Can be Made Worth While if You Will Consult Us Beforehand.

For Cleaning, use one of our Scrub Brushes. We have them in all shapes and sizes.

- " Carpets, use one of our Carpet Beaters.
- " Oilcloth, use S. W. P. Marnot Varnish.
- " Floors, use S. W. P. Floor Paint.
- " " " S. W. P. Crack and Seam Filler.
- " " " S. W. P. Floorlac.
- " Walls & Ceilings use S. W. P. Decotint.
- " Interior Woodwork use S.W.P. Family Paint.

Put Your Troubles up to Us, and We Will Help You.

**Morrison & Johnston's**  
Hardware Implements Furniture

### Our Special Edition.

Following the practice of previous years, The Western Globe will at once get busy on a special immigration edition, which will be ready for mailing in April. This edition will be more provincial than those previously issued, and 8500 will be printed. We have secured twenty special articles on the province, covering every conceivable theme, which will prove most interesting to readers throughout the world. This edition is for circulation in the United States, Great Britain and other countries where an interest in the Canadian West has been aroused.

Mrs. E. Barnett will receive on the first Friday of each month, instead of on the first and third Thursday as formerly.

Mr. John Soles left town on Wednesday of last week, on a trip to his home in England. He will sail from St. John, N. B., March 25th on the "Empress of Ireland" and arrive in Liverpool on April 2.

Before Judge Lees on Thursday last, the case of the British-American Insurance Co. v. J. D. Skinner was tried. The case resulted in a verdict for the plaintiffs, who were represented by Mr. J. I. Poole. A. M. Macdonald defended.

The hotel keepers of Red Deer have decided to raise their rates from 50c to \$1.00 a day, stating "That owing to the high prices for provisions prevailing it is impossible to carry on business at the old rates."

## Reduction in Price of FORMALDEHYDE

Having two stores, we are enabled to buy in larger quantities and are thus enabled to make a reduction of 25% from the price at which it has previously sold here.

We quote as follows:—  
12 oz. bottles ..... 30c.  
24 oz. bottles ..... 60c.  
1 gall. bottles ..... 90c. lb.  
Ask for quotations in larger quantities. Guaranteed full strength.

**The McDermid Drug Co.,**  
LACOMBE and CARSTAIRS

## Fullerton & Lundy

**Bread** made of Robin Hood or Keynote Flour will keep Fresh and Sweet longest, because it is richest in gluten and all the best elements of the best hard spring wheat. The quality of these Flour never varies.

Sole Agents for GANONG'S (GB) Chocolates.

**GET OUR PRICES**

## Stop! Look!

### Oranges. Oranges.

This week we are selling Oranges ..... at 15c. and 20c. a doz.  
Ontario Apples per box ..... 1.50  
Bananas per doz ..... 40  
Dates per lb ..... 15  
Figs per lb ..... 15

Green Vegetables Fresh Every Week—Celery, Cabbage, Onions, Lettuce, Radish.

We handle the well known McKenzie Flower and Vegetable Seeds.

A nice line of Easter Novelties.

We are giving 25c. for Eggs. 25c. for Butter.

**F. P. Switzer, Barnett Ave. LACOMBE**

## THE PIONEER Meat Market

### Fresh Fish

All kinds of Fresh Fish arrive by express every Thursday.

The choicest Beef, Pork, Mutton, Pork Sausage, Bologna Sausage, Ham, Bacon, Spice Roll, Game and Poultry in season.

Dealer in Fat Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

### W. F. PUFFER

Telephone 15  
Lacombe Alberta  
Delivery at 9 and 11 a.m.

## Diamonds Going Up!

Forecasting another jump in Diamonds, we have purchased another large shipment. It will pay you to anticipate your Diamond wants and buy now, for Diamonds are going up and will continue to do so.

### Get Our Prices

**C. R. DENIKE**  
Jeweler and Optician  
LACOMBE and CARSTAIRS

## Flour! Flour!!

Commencing to-day, March 23rd, our prices on Flour for the next 15 days will be as follows:—

Maple Leaf, 49 lb. sack	..... \$1.25	Economy 49 lb. sack	..... \$1.45
" " " 98 " "	..... 2.50	" " " 98 " "	..... 2.55
" " " Patent 49 lb. sack	..... 1.35	" " " Seal of Alberta 49 "	..... 1.60
" " " 98 " "	..... 2.75	" " " 98 " "	..... 3.10
Calgary Select 98 " "	..... 2.35		

These prices cannot be beaten neither can we be undersold. We guarantee every sack of flour to be as represented—"High Grade Flour"

We also offer Bran at \$20.00 per ton in half ton lots, and Shorts at \$21.00 per ton in half ton lots.

Call and see us before our stock of Flour is disposed of.

## Lacombe Produce Co.

### Easter Millinery Opening.

An exhibition of the latest styles in Patterns and Trimmed Hats and Fancy Novelties will be held on

**Wednesday & Thursday**

**23rd & 24th**

Miss BRANNEN, from Toronto, Designer

All are cordially invited



Mrs. G. G. MOBLEY NANTON STREET, LACOMBE

## EASTER SALE

Easter Lillies in bloom 75c. to \$1.50  
Cut Flowers for Easter, freshly cut for  
Saturday Morning.

**Wearthings for Easter are Budding in Every Department of the Store**

**THE** Spirit of Easter is in the air. With the advent of Easter comes the need for various articles of dress to be properly attired on the Fashion Day of Spring.

Stock of Ladies' Gloves, Hosiery, Hair Ornaments, Shoes and Neckwear as well as Men's Easter "Toggery" have been received complete in every department. The Store is ready to serve you. Everything in its spring-time newness.

**Stocks embrace every good style favored by Fashion authorities.**

**BUY NOW!**

## Latest Creations in Hat Pins

Beauty-Pins, Veil Pins, Dutch Sets, Belt Pins, and Hand-Painted Collar Pins. Prices **5c. to \$1.75**

**The New Veilings** are here, all the new weaves and color effects. Prices **25c. to 65c.** **Ladies' Neckwear** more than the usual assortment of Linen Collars, Dutch Collars & Stocks. Prices **25c.**

## Seasonable Hosiery of Quality.

We get our Hosiery direct from the English Mills, and realizing how difficult it is to get **HONEST WEAR** in moderate priced hosiery, we have given great care to the selection of our stock, consequently our values are better than usual. Prices **25c. and up.**



## Stylish, Well Fitting Shoes for Easter

There is a satisfied feeling of being stylishly appareled in perfect fitting and comfortable shoes. Every good new last may be had in our stock of shoes for Men, Women and Children. **The Walk-Over Shoe for Men and Empress Shoe for Women.**

## The Glove Stocks are interesting to Men and Women.

To be properly appareled on Easter Day, you must have gloves. Women's French Kid Gloves "Fownes" Special for Easter ..... \$1.00  
Men's English Dog Gloves "Fownes" Easter prices ..... \$1.50 and \$1.75



## FURNISHINGS FOR MEN

### Don't Drift Past Them!

There are lots of things a man needs to complete his spring outfit—Shirts, Ties, Hose, Collars and numerous little things, and you don't know how bad you need them till you run short. You had better drop in and see our Easter things.

**The "very newest" Shirts for Spring** are here—just in time for Easter. Prices **\$1.25 to \$1.75.**

Something entirely different from the Usual Patterns.

**Men's Ties**—No matter how particular you are. You will find something to please you in our new Easter Stock of Neckwear. Our Prices ..... **50c. and 75c.**

**Collars**—Our Austrian made four ply linen collars in all the new shapes beats anything we have seen, regular 25c. value, our price ..... **20c.** All other makes 2 for 25c.

## EASTER GROCERIES

The Grocery Store is complete in all your Easter wants. As the season advances we add all wanted new lines. Everything is kept up-to-date.

**The Candy Department** gradually expands for Easter. We have added a most delicious line of Chocolates in creams and hard filled, not stale stock, but fresh, new made goods for Easter. Finest quality, per lb. **40c.** Our 25c. mixture is the sort you pay 35c. for at MOST PLACES.

**Fruits for Easter**—Sun-kist Oranges 35c per doz. Sun-kist Lemons 35c per doz. Ontario Apples 5 lbs. for 25c. Fresh Lettuce 3 for 25c. Celery 2 lbs for 25c. Rhubarb 2 lbs. 25c.

**F. E. McLEOD**  
BARNETT AVE. LACOMBE



## The School and Industrial Life.

It has often been said and the statement will bear repetition, that educational activity is determined and directed by social and economic needs. The natural conservatism of the schoolmaster stands in the way of progress, no doubt, but social forces must ultimately prevail over scholastic ones. The present courses of study in our public elementary and secondary schools came gradually into existence in the face of opposition offered by the educational conservatism of the day.

Indeed, the modern teacher in an elementary school cannot but look back with some degree of regret to the happy lot of his predecessor whose programme consisted of very long lists of reading, writing and arithmetic. The course of languages and mathematics of a good high school thirty years ago stands out in striking contrast to the bulky programme of a modern high school. These changes have taken place not for pedagogical reasons but for social reasons, and in response to the needs of the community at large.

The average schoolman is apt to look upon the subjects and studies of his day, whether in school or college, as possessing a peculiar character of eternal validity. He is inclined to think that what was considered good then ought to be considered good now. He is, of course, not alone in this. There are pedants outside the school room as well as inside. Changes in school programmes are usually due, not to the teachers, but rather to the efforts of those who are in closest contact and sympathy with the economic life of the day. Many reformers owe their interest in the matter to a young and growing family. For obvious reasons the employer of skilled labor is interested. Any one who comes in contact with large bodies of young people in commercial or industrial pursuits is likely to notice the defects in their training and to desire that these shall be mended in some way.

That social needs do as a matter of fact determine educational policy can easily be illustrated from the history of any community. In Massachusetts, for example, the old colonial course consisted of reading and writing; and grammar and arithmetic were added after the Revolution. During forty years no changes of any account were made, but in response to the needs of a later time, in an era of expansion when a dozen new States were brought into the Union, and international relations began to have a meaning, geography was made a compulsory subject of study. Thirty years later, after an immigration boom, and during the great anti-slavery agitation, history was added. There was the foreign population ignorant of American traditions, and there were great constitutional questions, and the coming struggle which they foreshadowed. Business men who saw the superiority of European manufacturers in the great Exposition in 1877 secured from the Massachusetts Legislature in 1870 compulsory instruction in industrial drawing. Similarly, manual training came into the schools in 1884 and was made compulsory in 1898.

At the present time, throughout the whole continent, there is a strong agitation in favor of industrial education. There is a deep-seated feeling, however, that the elementary schools should be left alone, that the chief need of the preadolescent is not practice in the mechanical processes of industry, but rather the drill and discipline necessary to secure an acquaintance with the conventionalities of intelligence and the structure of society. Something, no doubt, can be done in the elementary school for that over-whelmingly large proportion of our boys and girls who are destined for a life of industrial activity; but this will be accomplished by the agency of manual training and by an illuminating study of industrial materials and industrial processes, rather than by an industrial training which sets up the technical skill and the commercial intelligence of the operative as its ideal.

This is an immensely important distinction. It is one thing to furnish the elementary school pupil with a knowledge of man's achievements in forming and moulding

the materials about him into objects of use, convenience, and comfort. It is quite another thing to attempt to train him to take his place as an operative able to perform with precision a certain narrow mechanical process in the production of one of these articles. The latter course is frankly technical and narrow, and is hopelessly out of place, in a public elementary school in a democratic country. The capitalist desirous of exploiting the elementary school in the industrial interest will demand it in vain. The former course is not only broadly liberalizing, but can also be amply justified in that it fills a long vacant gap in a properly organized course of elementary studies.

The matter of instruction in our elementary and secondary schools is chiefly of two kinds. There is the side devoted to language and history and such other branches as relate to man; and there is the side which deals with the material world, including mathematics and the sciences of nature. The records of both humanistic and scientific studies are available to those who learn to decipher them, and hence these courses are in a certain sense bookish. They need not be bookish in any bad sense if the teacher knows his business.

But there is a third branch of instruction which ought to be given in elementary schools. The humanistic studies naturally found the earliest place as essential in the training of the young in regard to the social world and social relations. Scientific studies were brought in to give them an understanding of the physical world in which they live. A third series comprising the industries by which the material possessions of the race are created in the interests of the social order is as necessary as the others. These may be called economic studies. A liberal education without some understanding of how men make their living is a contradiction in terms.

In setting out a programme of economic studies for an elementary school, both materials and processes are to be considered. What is to be aimed at is not the technical skill required for the carrying out of an industrial process. That is the object of vocational training and belongs to a later stage. The idea is that a pupil who has finished his elementary course shall have some knowledge of the materials used in production, the clays, metals, woods, textiles and foods; and a fairly clear idea of their value as a result of the industrial processes employed in working them up into objects of human desire, and of the work necessary in distributing them.

Such a rounding out of the present programme would not only furnish a true cultural training, but would also give needed vitality to the literature, the history, the geography, and the arithmetic. Perhaps not of least importance, it would enable boys and girls to enter industrial life with a confidence and a capacity which they do not now exhibit. And there can be no doubt that those who go forward to the high school will be well prepared for any of the vocational courses which that institution may offer.

### At the Pekin.

Following is the program for Wednesday night only: "Tie an ill wind that blows no good," one of the American Biograph Co.'s feature films, a fine comedy drama; "Beauty and the Beast," a colored film; "Three Haporth of Locks," comic; "Blind Pilgrim," pathetic; "Master's Razor," comic; "Heavenly Twins," comic; Illustrated Song, When the Balm Breezes Blow.

Thursday night, "The Runaway Tramp."

Friday night, new pictures. A special Matinee for the women and children as well as the out of town folks will be given Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m.

The Sutherland Stock Co. will appear in the Pekin Theatre in a repertoire of plays Thursday evening Mar. 24, featuring the laughable 4 act comedy drama entitled "The Runaway Tramp," a happy mingling of humor and pathos. A realistic depiction of life as it is. Vaudeville specialties between acts. They are supported by their own band and orchestra. A street

concert will be given afternoon and evening. This play comes highly recommended and is strictly moral and up-to-date. Nothing is said or done during the entire performance to offend the ladies or gentlemen in any way whatever.

### Who is Responsible?

A tariff war between the United States and Canada is impending and the prospects are regarded with alarm by commercial interests on both sides of the line. Where rests the responsibility for this interruption to the friendly commercial relations between the two countries? Not with Canada. Our tariff in its relation to the United States has not been altered since the revision of 1906. The situation is entirely due to the action of the United States Congress. In passing the Payne tariff bill a year ago. That bill, in addition to being a gross betrayal of the American people, contained provisions which were certain to embroil the United States with other countries.

The position of the United States in this tariff matter is one of intolerable arrogance. The United States Congress practically says to Canada, that this country must not make tariff arrangements with any other country, whereby our regular tariff will be lowered in return for concessions, without at the same time, giving these minimum rates to United States products. The United States does not propose to give any consideration for these concessions. It demands them as a privilege and declares that if they are not extended Canada will be penalized by the imposition of the maximum United States tariff on Canadian imports.

The situation thus created by the American Congress is one which the Canadian Parliament can do nothing to modify. There is nothing for Canada to compromise. We assert our right to control the making of our commercial arrangements and we deny to the United States Government the slightest right of interference. If the difficulty results in a tariff war, Canada must face it without flinching, and without regretting any sacrifice that may be involved. The result of such a tariff war if it comes will be, we think, to demonstrate to the United States that the punitive powers of its maximum tariff are not as great as they have been deemed to be.

### Harness Dressing.

Many farmers make a practice of cleaning, oiling and repairing their harness every spring. This is a wise practice. Many good harness dressings are sold on the markets. We have found the following preparation very satisfactory: First clean and wash them in warm water. When dry, apply the following dressing. By warming it first it can be more easily applied: Neat's foot oil, 1 gallon; bayberry tallow, 3 pounds; beeswax, 2 pounds.

Put the above in a pan over a moderate fire. When thoroughly dissolved add castor oil, 2 quarts. While on fire stir in 2 ounces lamp black. Mix well. Strain through fine cloth. Keep in tin cans. Harness should be cleaned.

### Married.

McMILLAN-TODD—At the Manse, Lacombe, on Tuesday, March 22nd, by the Rev. M. White, B.D., William McMillan of Olive, to Miss Charlotte LeRoy Todd of Los Angeles, Cal.

### Hospital Fund.

Proceeds from social at Milton \$25.00; A Friend, \$5.00; G. Grant \$25.00; H. M. Trimble, \$50.00; A. Urquhart, \$50.00. J. C. Squire, rubber sheet; C. A. Mooney, E. K. Shillito, rubber sheet; Miss Bidleman, pair sheets; clerks in Campbell's store, pair sheets; C. Stacks, 10 barrels soft water.

The Pekin Theatre is crowded to the doors every evening and its success is assured. The management use only the latest and best Motion Pictures and are in a position to put them on equally as good as the best pictures seen in the cities. The beautifully illustrated songs are the latest hits.

Miss Maud Eberole, left Monday morning on an extended visit to Okotoks and places south.

All the members except five newspaper men in the Ontario legislature signed a round robin asking that the wages of the members be raised from \$1,000 to \$1,500, and it is darkly hinted that these five gentlemen raised the objection because they rather doubted their ability to look upon so much money at one time without seriously endangering their health.

Our prices on strictly high grade flour cannot be met by the local merchants in Lacombe or elsewhere. See our ad in this paper quoting our prices.—The Lacombe Produce Co.

Girl wanted to wash dishes and do other work in hotel. Apply to Lacombe Dining Hall.

### Auditor for 1910.

Applications for the position of auditor for the town of Lacombe for 1910 will be received up to Monday, March 28, at 12 o'clock. JAMES FRASER, Sec.-Treasurer.

### Notice to Householders.

All parties are warned against depositing kitchen slops in closet pails; and the scavenger has been notified not to remove the same after this date.

C. E. MORRIS, Chairman B.L. & H. Com.

### LACOMBE MARKETS.

Wheat, per bu.	70c to 85c
Oats, per bu.	35c
Barley, per bu.	40c
Rye, per bu.	42c
Flaxseed, per bu.	1.50
Timothy, per bu.	2.00
Pork, alive choice.	84c
Dressed pork.	94 to 11c
Beef alive.	8c to 14c
Dressed beef.	8c to 14c
Potatoes, good, per bu.	40c
Butter, per lb.	22c
Eggs, per doz.	25c
Chicken, per lb.	12c
Fowl per lb.	10c
Turkey, per lb.	15c
Duck, per lb.	12c
Geese, per lb.	13c

Apprentice wanted for the millinery business. Apply at Mrs. G. G. Mobley's store.

### FOR SALE.

Montgomery Seed Oats. Took 2nd prize at the Lacombe Seed Fair. Apply A. HALLSALL, 4 miles east Lacombe.

### Eggs for Setting.

Pure bred Plymouth Rocks, Ringlets and Judge Sheltabarger strains \$1.00 and \$1.50 per setting of 13; Brown Leghorns, single comb, \$1.00 per setting of 13. Apply John Ross, Lacombe.

### ESTRAY.

Heifer 1 year old, no brand, color brindle, black nose, slit in right ear. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses.

F. B. JORJE, S.W. 1/4 16-41-2, Lookhart P.O.

### ESTRAY.

Entry steer on the premises of Jas. H. Grose, 12-40-25 W. 4, red, 2 years old, appears to be part Jersey, no brand, been in vicinity for over a year.

J. H. GROSE, Olive, Alta.

### Man Wanted.

Experienced man wanted to work on farm. Apply to JAS. GRAY, 15-40-25, Lacombe P.O. 3 miles S.E. of Lacombe.

### Breaking Wanted.

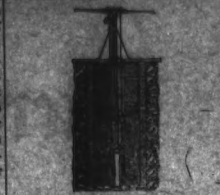
I want 60 acres of breaking done before July 1st. Land well brushed. Apply A. L. Whitten, Chigwell.

### FOR SALE.

3 brood sows, Tanworth cross with Poland China. 6 or 8 years, coming 3 years old, in foal, well bred. Have a few more older than these. For particulars apply G. I. CLINE, N.E. 12-42-27, Morningdale.

### Horses Found.

Came to my place early in winter 2 horses. 1 bay cayuse mare with colt; 1 black cayuse gelding. Colt has halter on. No visible brands. Apply F. A. GRALAFF, 36-38 26, or Lacombe P. O.



### Lacombe Pump Works.

THRESHING SUPPLIES. Myer's deep well force pumps, brass cylinder, glass valve seat. Myer's pumps of all kinds. Two sizes of wooden pumps. Clean and tank pumps, hose, pipe and pipe fittings of all kinds. Our prices are low and goods the best. Give us a call.

### Brooks & Edmonds.

For Sale. Pair of mares 5 and 7 years old, weight about 2200, one in foal; pair of geldings coming three, will make 3000 or better, all broke; also three calves three months old. J. M. Southward, 3 miles west and one north of Lacombe.

Teacher Wanted. Teachers wanted for North Star School District, No. 877. Duties to commence as soon as possible. Apply to H. W. Ross, assy. trans. R. R. 1, Olive, Alta.

### FOR SALE.

Half section near Lacombe, 34 miles from station, 1 mile from school. All open prairie except 15 acres which is wooded. Every acre is good soil and well located. Splendid for hay or general farming. Price \$4100, one third cash balance in one and two years. Address the owner, J. C. McTAVISH, cor. Jasper Ave. and Fourth St. EDMONTON.

### ESTRAY.

Came to my premises in December, a two year old cayuse, sily, blaze face. Owner please take away and pay expenses. A. SWANSON, S.E. 1/4 20-40-27 W. 4.

### Wanted.

Girl wanted for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Will Reid.

### Lost-Reward.

Black and white foxhound; answer to name of "Ring." Lost in Lacombe on Tuesday night. Finder communicate with this office and get reward.

### Green House Plants.

Mrs. Giberson reports that her greenhouse will be in order shortly and will have on hand plants of all kinds. Celery plants, cabbage and other vegetables; house plants and flowers for Easter. Phone Mrs. Giberson, Lacombe Rural Line.

### FOR RENT.

The N. E. 1/4 sec. 30-40-26, W. 4, joining Town of Lacombe, 60 acres can be cropped. I will rent for 1 of crop or yearly cash rental, with or without house. Correspond with Ed. Barnett, Kanata P.O.

### Soft Water.

Soft as snow water, out of C. Stacks's well. Call phone 11. MURPHY & McDERMOTT.

### FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING.

Fit and style guaranteed. Apply to Mrs. M. E. Aiken, at Mauna Ala, home of Mrs. C. A. Giberson, 4 miles west on Gull Lake road.

### AUCTION SALE.

Instructed by Rev. Canon Robinson I will sell by Public Auction on the premises, The Rectory, Alberta St., Lacombe, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 29th, 1910 at 2 p.m. sharp

Solid oak dining set (1 arm and 5 small chairs), round oak dining table 5 leaves, Singer sewing machine, Portable organ, 2 iron beds, springs and mattresses, 3 spring cots, 2 oak centre tables, 1 drop-leaf table, sectional book case, 2 oak arm chairs, 2 rockers. Other goods, 3 bedrooms, oil stove, bureau and stands, bedroom chairs, washing machine, wringer, high chair, baby sleigh, rocking horse, wash tub, bath tub, dishes, garden tools, etc., etc.

Terms Cash. No Reserve. H. THORNTON BOLT, Auctioneer. Doc. Gillmour, Clerk.

**7 Year Old Rye** is the Finest Canadian Whisky—mellow, smooth, as well as strong.

**King's Liquor Scotch Whisky** is guaranteed 10 years old.

**Nothing Better for a Health Builder** than Stout or Porter.

**Try a Bottle of Spanish Port \$1.00 to \$1.50** per bottle—finest of Spring Tonics.

**Empty Wine Barrels** for water barrels—\$1.00 to \$1.50.

**When Buying Beer** insist on getting "Calgary" which is made purely from hops and grain.

**F. L. SMITH,**  
Lacombe Wholesale Wine & Spirit Store

**Live Stock Insurance.**

Owners of valuable animals are fully aware of the difficulty heretofore experienced in finding a reliable company doing this class of business. I can offer you protection in The Yorkshire, of England, a Company having the highest reputation for prompt and liberal settlement, and of offering security exceeding Thirteen Million Dollars. Rates are the lowest offered by any Company. See me.

**JOHN McKENTY**  
OFFICE DAY BLOCK

**The Mason and Risch Pianos**

An opportunity is afforded the public to have the famous Mason & Risch Pianos demonstrated to them. Dr. Shute has installed an instrument in his office. Anyone interested in Pianos will be gladly shown these superb instruments.

Agents for the Lacombe District for The New Classic, The Newcombe, The Henry Herbert and The Dominion Art.

**Lacombe Iron Works**

**Watson & Frizzell, Props.**

General Blacksmith Work of All Kinds  
Horse Shoeing, Plow Work, Wood Work  
Machine Work and Casting  
Prices Right and Satisfaction Guaranteed.  
CASH PAID FOR OLD IRON

NANTON ST. LACOMBE

**AUCTION SALE**

of  
**Carload of Clyde Fillies**  
**@ \$5,000.00 Stallion**

Having received instructions from Mr. BUTLER, of Ingersoll, Ont., I will offer by Public Auction, the above FIRST CLASS STOCK,

**In EDMONTON**  
**Wed., MAR. 30th**

**S. W. PAISLEY,**  
Auctioneer LACOMBE, ALTA.

**WHEAT WANTED**

Lacombe Flour Mills will pay the highest Cash price for good Milling Wheat.

FRANK DANNER, Prop.

**SEED OATS "ABUNDANCE"**

400 bushels, Abundance Seed Oats for Sale—Clean and ready for Seed. 30c per bushel. Five miles S.E. of Olive.

J. Y. DOAK, Olive P.O.

**Seed Wheat for Sale**

800 bushels Red Fife, no audit; 150 bushels, Turkey Red, clean. \$1.00 a bushel at granary. All clean and ready for seed. A. Driggs, 2 miles South of Morningdale.

**Horses Lost.**

One bay horse, white face. One bay horse, star in forehead, weight about 850 pounds each, short tails, branded on left shoulders L backwards and G underneath. One chestnut sorrel mare, weight about 1000 pounds, branded on left shoulder L backwards and G underneath. One brown mare, white strip on face, weight about 1200 pounds. Any one finding these horses notify H. W. Lloyd, Aliz, and get reward.

**Roosters for Sale.**

Purebred Brown Leghorn Roosters for sale, at Stearn's place, near Barnett Lake.



## TEACHERS TO MEET FOR ORGANIZATION.

On Tuesday next, week the teachers from all parts of Alberta will meet in convention at the Calgary Normal school for the express purpose of forming a provincial educational association. The convention will continue for three days, ending Thursday, March 31st.

The convention of provincial pedagogues is the direct result of the solicitation made to Premier Rutherford by leading educationists, upon which he acted with despatch, as Minister of Education. Premier Rutherford has given it as his opinion that the formation of an association such as proposed will be of immeasurably greater benefit to the educational work in general than is possible at present with the local conventions. His suggestion that the association hold annual conventions hereafter will no doubt be adopted.

The department of education is arranging as far as possible for the release of all teachers from their duties on the days mentioned, and in the notices being distributed it is pointed out that the teachers attending will not be expected to hold school on Friday, April 1st.

The program of the three days shows that complete arrangements have been made by the committee in charge for the furthering of educational work and several of the most prominent instructors in the province will deliver addresses. In detail the program is:

### TUESDAY, MARCH 29.

10 o'clock a.m.—General session—1. Registration and handing in railway certificates. 2. Addresses of welcome.—The Mayor of Calgary, R. R. Jamieson, Esq.; the Chairman of Public School Board, H. A. Sinnott, Esq. 3. Replies to addresses of welcome.—Messrs. A. E. Torrie, N. E. Carruthers, Dr. Scott. 4. Address by the Honorable The Minister of Education. 5. Business, striking of committees.

2 o'clock p.m.—1. President's address, Mr. A. C. Newcombe. 2. Address, "What teachers should read," Professor Broadus.

Beginning at 8:15 o'clock, an open meeting, at which Dr. A. P. McDiarmid, of Brandon, will deliver a lecture.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30.

9:30 o'clock a.m.—General session—1. Business. 2. The place of Nature Study and Agriculture in School Work, Mr. F. S. Carr.

In Sections—Elementary section; address on Curriculum for Elementary Schools by J. E. Loucks. Secondary section; The Curriculum for High Schools, Mr. Wm. Rea.

2 o'clock p.m.—General session—Address, Dr. McDiarmid.

In Sections—Elementary section, general discussion of Curriculum for Elementary Schools. Secondary section; general discussion of Curriculum for High Schools.

### THURSDAY, MARCH 31.

9:30 o'clock a.m.—Business; reports of committees; elections.

The Edmonton Journal on Saturday evening had a rawhead and bloody bones article on its front page about the efforts that were being made to institute a campaign of education in regard to the A. & G. W. railway during the interregnum. Of course the fellow that dreamed the story did not know that the commission of enquiry would be in session during the greater part of the time mentioned. But then, one cannot hinder papers or persons making silly comment at times.

### Bentley News.

The office of the Alberta Government Telephone is being moved across the street.

The farmers are now busy on their land, and if this weather lasts, the crops will be put in early enough for a record breaker. Most of the land is in fine shape to work now, and lots of wheat and oats will be sown this week.

Winter wheat appears to be coming on well, and with favorable weather will prove a big crop.

Will Tolman has left the employ of the McPherson Bros. Co., Ltd., for the time being, and has gone out to his homestead.

E. St. J. O'Neill will move this week to the James McPherson homestead, one mile west of Bentley, on the river.

The Bentley Amateur Dramatic

Society will present their play, "Facing the Music," at the McPherson Hall on March 30th and April 1st. The latter date for the benefit of the M. W. A. Camp here, with a dance to follow. "Facing the Music" is a Farce Comedy in three acts, taking two hours to present it. The company presenting it is composed of some of the best members of our local talent, and as the play is copy-righted it is costing the Society twenty-five dollars for the rights to present it. Anyone wishing to secure seats for either of these performances, will do well to write the secretary, Jas. McPherson, at once, stating which night to book for.

### How to Prevent Sore Shoulders.

The following hints from Dr. Glover, of the Colorado Agricultural College, are timely:—

Too much care can not be exercised in seeing that the collar is a perfect fit. A collar which is too large is more likely to injure the horse than one that is too small. The collar should be scraped each morning and carefully cleaned before it is again put on the horse. Before the spring work begins, it is well to oil the harness and have it soft and pliable. For the first few days of hard work on soft ground the shoulders of the horse should be bathed in cold water every night after the harness is removed. The horse will be very sore and tired for a few days and should be given every kind of attention. Watch the harness to see that the draft is at right angles with the shoulders. If it is too low, the collar will be constantly "kicking up" at the top and the horse will soon have a sore neck. If the draft is too high, the collar will not rest securely on the lower part of the shoulder, where the horse is best prepared to throw his weight. If there are any calloused lumps on the horse's shoulders or back, they should be carefully removed before the busy season. If the collar is put on over one of these "sit fasts," it will have the same result as a man trying to walk with a button in his shoe or a bunion on his foot.

This article is not for the purpose of suggesting treatment for braised shoulders and sore neck, but simply as a reminder that as spring approaches an ounce of prevention (by having the horse and harness in good condition before beginning the spring work) is often worth pounds of cure later on when the horse is disabled and you are deprived of his services for weeks, right in the busy season.

### Some Troubles Peary Had.

Peary's real fight with the Arctic ice began even before he left the ship on which the expedition sailed north. Jamming the "Roosevelt" through the floes up to winter quarters was dogged sometimes thrilling work.

"During the worst parts of the journey," writes Peary in Hampton's, "Bartlett spent most of his time in the crow's nest, the barrel lookout at the top of the main mast.

"I would climb up into the rigging just below the crow's nest, where I could see ahead and talk to Bartlett, backing up his opinion with my own when necessary to relieve him in the more dangerous places of too great a weight of responsibility.

"Clinging with Bartlett high up in the unsteady rigging, peering far ahead for a streak of open water, studying the movements of the floes which pressed against us, I would hear him shouting to the ship below us as if she were a living thing, coaxing her, encouraging her, commanding her to hammer a way for us through the adamantine floes.

"Rip 'em Teddy! Bite 'em in two! Go it! That's fine, my beauty! Now—again, once more.

"At such a time the long generations of the ocean fighters behind the brave, indomitable, young Newfoundland captain seemed to be relieving in him the strenuous days that carried the flag of England around the world.

"Often on his last expedition of the Roosevelt, as on the former one, have I seen a fireman come up from the bowels of the ship panting for a breath of air, take one look at the shelf of ice before us and mutter savagely:

"She's got to go through!

"Then he would drop again into the stockhole, and a moment later an extra puff of black smoke would rise from the stack.

"It is hard for a layman to understand the character of the ice through which the Roosevelt fought her way.

"Most persons imagine that the ice of the Arctic regions has been formed by direct freezing of the sea water, but in the summer time very little of the floating ice is of that character.

"It is composed of huge sheets broken off from the glacial fringe of North Grant Land—broken up by contact with other floes under the impetus of the violent flood tides. It is not unusual to see one there between eighty and one hundred feet thick.

"As seven-eighths of these heavy floes are under water, one does not realize how thick they are until one sees where a huge mast, by the pressure of the pack behind it, has been driven up into the shore, and stands there—high and dry, eighty or a hundred feet above the water, like a silver castle guarding the shore of this exaggerated ice clogged Rhine.

"The navigation of the narrow and ice encumbered channels between Etah and Cape Sheridan was long considered an utter impossibility, and only four ships prior to the Roosevelt have succeeded in accomplishing it. Of these four ships one, the Polar, was lost. Three, the Alert, the Discovery and the Proteus made the voyage up and down in safety; but one of these, the Proteus, was lost in an attempt to repeat the deed. The Roosevelt had on the expedition of 1905-6 made the voyage up and back though she was badly smashed on the return.

"Of course the steam is up at all times, ready, like ourselves, for anything at a moment's notice. When the ice is not so heavy as to be utterly impenetrable, the ship under full steam moves back and forth continually, butting and charging the floes.

"Sometimes a charge will send the ship forward half her length, sometimes not an inch. When with all the steam of the boilers we can make no headway whatever, we wait for the ice to loosen up and economize our coal. We do not mind using the ship as a battering ram; that is what she is made for, but beyond Etah coal is precious and every ounce of it must yield its full return of northward steaming. The coal at present in our bunkers was all we should have until our return the following year, when the Peary Arctic Club would send a ship to meet us at Etah.

"It must be remembered that during all this time we were in the region of constant daylight, in the season of the midnight sun. Sometimes the weather was foggy, sometimes cloudy, sometimes sunny, but there was no darkness. The periods of day and night were measured only by our watches—not, during the passage of these channels, for we slept only in those brief intervals when there was nothing else to do. Unresting vigilance was the price we paid for our passage."

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## Alx News.

Judge Lees presided at a sitting of the district court on Wednesday last. The only case was an action brought by Robert Beck against E. W. De Long and J. E. Varley, of Calgary, for wages to the extent of \$60. There was no defence, and judgment for debt and costs was given to the plaintiff.

H. Garman and Roy Cairns left this week for B. C.

Alexander Mather is selling off his stock of flour and feed, and will shortly go back to his ranch, Lamerton way to reside.

Lamerton had a St. Patrick's dance on the night of the 17th.

Thos. Somerville's sisters who are coming out from Scotland to Alberta are expected to arrive this month or early in April.

Miss Jean Green has returned from her visit to Olive.

The Rev. Canon Robinson of Lacombe officiated for his last time on Sunday in the services held at Alx and Lamerton.

The Presbyterian ladies' aid will give a box social on Monday the 28th, in the town hall.

The supper and concert given by the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church, on St. Patrick's night, was a great success. The tables were appropriately decorated and a very large number were partakers of the many delicacies, and the concert which followed.

## Medal Contest.

A Medal Contest, under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, in music and oratory, will be held in the lecture hall of the Presbyterian Church on April 1st, at eight o'clock.

Contestants from outside districts are taking part and an interesting evening is expected.

We buy hides, sheep skins and furs, and pay the highest market price in cash.—The Lacombe Produce Co.

At Mr. Samuel Campbell's sale yesterday, horses sold for exceptionally good figures, nine bringing the sum of \$1580.00.

## Of Local Interest

When the sun of your life's going down in the West, you'll try to recall all your deeds that were best for men at the end of the Judge you'll appear, to give an account of your stewardship here. Each day you are doing some thing that may seem as smart and as brilliant as any man's scheme; perhaps it will gain the applause of the town, but how will it look when the sun's going down? Each day you are striving to build up your pile, and maybe resorting to systems of guile, and when you are asked if you think it is straight to have your defence and begin to orate: "There's fierce competition, and men who would win, mustn't be too afraid of the shadow of sin." That logic may do in the land, bustling town, but how will it look when the sun's going down? You'd like to be good if you only had time, but you are so busy pursuing the dime, that helping your brother or trying to cheer the grief-stricken pilgrims now journeying here, is merely an impulse that comes but to fade; there's only one temple, whose idol is Trade; and there you may grovel for wealth and renown—but how will it seem when the sun's going down?—Walt Mason.

The Lacombe Studio will be open on Good Friday, until 4:30 p.m.

The Women's Guild of St. Cyprian's church will meet at Mrs. W. L. Elliott's on Wednesday afternoon, March 30th.

General competitive civil service examinations will be held at Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton and Port Arthur, beginning on Tuesday, May 10.

We pay in cash the highest market prices for butter and eggs. Give us a call before disposing of your produce.—The Lacombe Produce Co.

Mr. E. Johnson who received injuries in a recent runaway and was removed to the Hospital was allowed to return home on Monday.

WANTED—General servant, capable, good wages paid, apply to Mrs. J. W. Landy.

Mrs. E. W. Howard is leaving today for Namarata, B. C., where she will join Mr. Howard.

Examine our ad in this paper and compare our prices on flour, bran, and shorts, with the prices you are paying elsewhere.—The Lacombe Produce Co.

Don't forget the Passion Play at the Pekin Theatre, April 4 and 5, showing the birth of Christ, and walks to the crucifixion fully illustrated. Don't miss it.

For the Easter Holidays, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will authorize a rate of fare and one-third for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale March 24 to 28 inclusive, final return limit March 30, 1910.

The best is none too good for Lacombe people. Buy a McLaughlin buggy from Morrison & Johnston.

WANTED—Young lady wishes position as Stenographer in Lacombe or neighboring towns. Willing to assist in Book-keeping. Address "Stenographer," in care Western Globe, Lacombe.

A young man about twenty five years of age and respectfully dressed was found dead on the railroad track last Thursday morning about three miles north of Wetaskiwin. He had a large wound on the skull which was evidently inflicted by a railroad tie. Certain papers found in his possession gives the impression that he is P. J. Donnelly from Stettler. This man was seen in Lacombe last Tuesday evening and the next morning, and while he was noticed under the influence of liquor, which probably solves the cause of the tragedy. It is supposed that he was stealing a ride on the blind baggage of the express on Wednesday night, and fell off. An inquest was held at Wetaskiwin, the result of which has not been given out as yet.

A carload of McLaughlin buggies just unloaded.—Morrison & Johnston.

Hockey photos and post cards for sale at the Lacombe Studio.—B. S. Cameron.

A meeting of the council of L. I. D. 20-W-4, will be held in Blackfalds, Saturday, April 2nd, at 2 p.m.

Church of England services for the week will be—Wednesday, 8 p.m.; Good Friday, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; Easter Day, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m., and evening service at 7.

Last Tuesday evening as Joseph Kangieiser, age 14 years, was leaving the Fairview school, about seven miles from Lacombe, in some way he was kicked by a horse on the left eye causing severe wound. Dr. Simpson, under whose care the boy's eye is improving nicely, says it is miraculous that the finer senses of the eye escaped injury.

When you think of buying a summer suit, call and see the selection at D. Cameron's, the tailor.

Mr. Francis H. Taylor, the purchaser of the John Morter place at Iowalla is now in possession.

Mr. John A. Fincham, leaves for Stettler today where he will open up a machine shop and foundry. A loss for Lacombe, and Stettler's gain.

For spring and summer tailored suits see D. Cameron's selection of suitings, \$24 to \$32.

Miss Carrie Hutton is spending a few days in town, the guest of her niece Essie Romer.

The total number of bills passed during the session of the Alberta Legislature is 13. They are as follows: A bill respecting the Salvation Army; a bill to ratify bylaws of the town of Camrose; a bill to incorporate the Alberta and Saskatchewan Central Railway Co.; a bill to incorporate the Lacombe and Branson Railway Co.; a bill to ratify Calgary bylaws; a bill respecting the Diamond Coal Co.; a bill granting additional powers to the town of Raymond; a bill ratifying bylaws of the town of Cardston; a bill to change the name of the Elks' Club of Calgary; a bill amending the Lethbridge charter; a bill to amend the Edmonton charter and to ratify the C. P. R. entrance agreement; a bill to amend the Strathcona charter, and a bill respecting land surveys.

## Stray Horse.

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## GREAT DEMAND FOR ALBERTA RED WHEAT.

Demand for the Grain in Mexico and this Province should furnish it.

Vancouver, March 18.—A question which is at present keen interest to all people interested in the growth of Canadian commerce is whether Vancouver merchants are going to obtain a good footing in Mexico.

"The population of Mexico," said Mr. Porter Worthington, "is increasing much faster than the development of the land, and consequently there is a greater demand for foreign wheat year by year."

This large increase in population is chiefly due to the influx of European and American settlers, who all require wheat bread; for if a white man has a single dollar to spend he will buy wheat bread, whereas the native Mexicans hitherto have been content to eat corn if they were unable to get the finer article. Thus the wheat supply was never overabundant, and every settler from Europe and the States only increases the already great demand for foreign grains. The natives too are learning to appreciate the white man's food.

And that there is a great demand is not difficult to prove, for when there is a shortage in the local supply, the duty is taken off the imported article, and during the eighteen months from December, 1908, to May, 1910, this duty has only been levied for five months, allowing wheat to enter the country free of taxes during thirteen months. This proves beyond a doubt that Mexico does and will require for many years to come, imported grain.

Up to the present time the United States have been the chief suppliers of this shortage, though several shipments of Manitoba wheat have gone to Mexico by way of Montreal. For a long time Vancouver left this trade severely alone and many a Mexican did not even know the whereabouts of Alberta wheat. It is only of quite recent date that Canadians in the west have seized the opportunity of competing for favorable commercial relations with this growing state of Central America. This trade will be carried on to a large extent along the Pacific seaboard, and is in consequence of the greatest importance to the metropolis of British Columbia.

To show how this idea has taken root in the minds of the merchants of this city it may be of interest to state here that during the past ten months 200,000 bushels of wheat have been shipped to Mexico from ports through Vancouver, and last year many more bushels would have been sent south, but the wheat could not be obtained; the elevators in the city were drained dry and Alberta was unable to supply any more. This year also there has been a heavy demand for red wheat, and much more would have been shipped, if only Alberta could have spared it.

With such a successful past history, the wheat export trade to Mexico has, it is hoped, a very bright future, for as yet it is only in its infancy, and if it is carefully fostered, will grow, for Mexico will be unable to furnish her own markets for very many years yet. And even if the native output increases considerably there will always be an excellent demand for the Alberta product, which has already become well known and very popular. Vancouver has the ships and market, if Alberta will only contribute a sufficient quantity of wheat.

Apart from the export of grain, which is, of course, the most important feature in Canadian-Mexican relations, trade in other lines is flourishing, and promises well. The increase in this latter class is confined almost entirely to the Pacific coast of Mexico, which is developing rapidly owing to several successful schemes of colonization. The majority of the settlers are white men, and there is a great deal of Vancouver capital sunk in this newly opened country. Therefore Canadians are anxious to secure the trade and at the same time a good market for their own products. Lumber, coal and general goods are the chief imports from the north. At present San Francisco has the greater part of this trade, and is competing with that city, Vancouver is under difficulties owing to the high price of commodities existing here. Moreover, San Francisco merchants get special rates for goods exported to Mexico and, apart from that, goods are cheaper in California than they are in British Columbia. There are factories and industries in and around San Francisco which produce articles on the spot and so avoid the heavy freight rates which Vancouver has, in many cases, to pay.

For all that numerous inquiries come about goods and when local industries start there will be a good market down south for all that they can produce. For the present Vancouver has to be satisfied with sending large consignments of flour, canned salmon and other minor local produce for which the demand is ever on the increase.

Mexicans are gradually becoming more and more able to manufacture their own commodities for home consumption. For instance quite lately they have supplied their own markets with soap and their manufacture wire nails as well as any other country can. But for this latter industry they import wire and that is construed as a prophecy that when they make all their own commodities they will still require to import foreign raw material and machinery, large quantities of which are already used in the sugar industry. So, as the demand for the completed article declines, that for raw materials will grow correspondingly and the far distant trade with Mexico will naturally lie in that direction. But that is in the very far distant future and need not trouble this generation at least.

### Better Than Dreadnoughts.

The Canadian Courier of March 5th has the following to say in regard to the new trade relations recently made with Germany:

"One possible contingency in the new trade relations with Germany has yet to be mentioned. The removal of the German surtax has put German sugar on an equality with West Indian sugar in the Canadian market. This is so economically unfair to the West Indies that there will shortly be a movement to give West Indian sugar a preference in this country."

"Then there is another contingency. The removal of the surtax has lessened the British preference—not nominally, but in reality. The British manufacturer who competes here with the German manufacturer must now meet keener competition than he has had for several years. How would it do, under these circumstances, to increase the British preference from 33 1/3 to 40 per cent? Everybody seems anxious to do something to increase the sales of British goods in this country, since we are still selling much more to Great Britain than we buy. If the Conservatives think as much of the Motherland as they claim, they should be prepared for such an extension of the preference; if the Liberals are anxious for opportunities to lower the customs tariff when it can be done without hurting Canadian interests, they should be prepared for this extension. There will be some danger in it for our woolen manufacturers, perhaps, but this could easily be averted by a slight raise in the woolen duties. Otherwise the possibility of hurting infant industries would be very small. Such an increase in the preference would be, in the words of Mr. Brock, "better than a gift of Dreadnoughts."

The average citizen takes little interest in customs duties, i.e., as to the study of how these matters are arranged or carried on. A good deal of talk is indulged in upon the subject, but as the matter requires, in fact, some special study, the man on the street seldom goes much further than talking in a general way about what he has not studied. So that for the benefit of our readers we may say that whereas, heretofore, the import of German goods into the West was at a considerable disadvantage to that of the import of British goods, so many German goods arrived this far from their place of manufacture either direct or through the United States.

German goods have been subject to a surtax of one-third of their specific duty over and above the duty specified in the schedule. This duty that would pay a duty of 30 per cent. ad valorem, according to the general tariff, would pay 40 per cent. when coming from Germany, and perhaps under the British preferential tariff has lost much of its usefulness to the Old Country.

In ready-made clothing for instance the British preferential is not 33 1/3 per cent. under the general tariff, and there are other instances.

The ideas here expressed by the Courier are certainly novel, but just how they will be considered by some is not entirely for us to say. But as to their being a solid help to the Mother Country there is not much doubt.

### Cost of Transcontinental.

On the vote for expenditure for the next fiscal year on the National Transcontinental railway being taken up in the Commons the minister of railways at the request of Mr. Borden, gave statistics as the progress of construction, etc., up to the end of 1909.

The total expenditure up to that date, he said, had been \$67,800,000. The estimated cost per mile still remains at figures given in the house in 1908, viz.: \$68,000, the number of miles graded was 1,062 and the number of miles on which track was laid was 727. Of track mileage 621 were on the main line and 100 on sidings. It is estimated that the cost of construction of the prairie section still stands at \$53,000 per mile, the estimated cost of the mountain section per mile had not been arrived at yet.

### Spring Valley.

The weather is fine and farmers have commenced operations on the land.

Mrs. Forrest and family have gone homesteading beyond Castror.

John D. Hull has rented the Thomson farm.

T. Thomson of Halkirk is visiting old acquaintances.

Mrs. Sage and her pupil Mae Ellis who were injured at the explosion in the school house a few weeks ago are still in Calgary Hospital.

Mrs. Sage is suffering greatly at times and the sight of one eye is irritatingly lost. Mae is in good spirits and does not suffer to any great extent but the sight of her injured eye is probably gone. By means of the X-Ray a fragment of shell was located in an exceedingly tender spot where the specialist did not dare to operate. The patients will probably return home in a week or so.

Col. Saunders, R. N. W. M. P. at Athabasca Landing, makes the statement that a large number of settlers are stranded on the road to the Peace River Country.

He says there are upwards of 25 loads of settlers effects, unable to move on account of the condition of the roads. Between Athabasca Landing and Lesser Slave Lake there are still more. The ice trail up the river is impassable, and any who reach the Peace River country before the opening of navigation will be forced to cross the river at Athabasca Landing and take the wagon trail to Lesser Slave Lake, which is now in very bad condition.

Colonel Saunders further stated that river navigation will probably open during the latter part of May, and that residents of the Landing are busy building and repairing boats in preparation for the season's work. A large number of stranded settlers he thought, would wait for the boats.

### Republicans Fear Defeat.

The Republicans have controlled the House of Representatives for the past fourteen years but the prospects for their success at the congressional elections of next November are not bright. The row over the tariff, the growth of the insurgent movement in the middle western states the unpopularity of the Cannon-Aldrich combination which controls Congress all foreshadow trouble for the Republican congressmen when they return to their constituents for reelection. The Washington cor-

respondent of the New York Tribune says:

"There is no denying the pessimistic tone in which all well-informed Republicans discuss the prospects for the next House. They are all fearful of a reversal of the present republican majority, and some go as far as to say that it is only a question of how much may be saved from this wreck." This feeling of distrust may not be without influence in preventing a tariff war between the United States and Canada. Such a war, it is safe to say, would be highly unpopular with the merchants and manufacturers of the United States who are cultivating the Canadian market, and would further imperil the chances of Republican success next fall.

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise mucus in the morning? Do you want relief? If so, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you will be pleased. Sold by all dealers.

The C. P. R. main line has again been blocked by snow slides at some half dozen points, the principal avalanches having occurred at Rogers Pass, Bear Creek, Canby, Iliffville and Albert Canyon, where the track for a distance of some two hundred feet was buried under thirty feet of snow and rock.

The chief of police issued orders last week for all constables to seize all copies of the Eye-Opener. It is understood the Moral and Social Reform society has been urgently working to have this done for some time past. Every newsboy selling them was compelled to deliver them to the police and their names taken.

Fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism is simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment. All that is needed to afford relief is the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. Give it a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

Under the terms of a resolution of which Mr. Fielding has given notice, the government will loan the Montreal Harbor commission an additional \$6,000,000, repayable within 25 years at a rate of 3 1/2 per cent. annum. The money will be spent in carrying out an extensive scheme of harbor improvements on which the commissioners have been working for several years.

In the legislature last week Premier Rutherford moved the second reading of the Tranquay act. Its chief provision is that it will require all children between the ages of eight and thirteen to attend school, and this includes private as well as public schools. It provides that no children of these ages shall be employed at any work during school terms. R. B. Bennett said he was in accord with the bill, which was a step in the right direction. There was too little appreciation by western parents of the necessity of providing their children with at least a common education. The limit of thirteen years was too young.

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The Seventh-day Adventists closed a most profitable conference on Wednesday last, and Bookman's Convention, which has been in session the past two weeks. Much attention was given to their publishing work. They published 124 weekly papers and monthly magazines, which are being distributed with concentrated energy in every part of the world. Their circulation, the past year, circulated \$1,410,000 worth of literature. Last Tuesday night Mr. H. H. Hall gave a very interesting stereopticon lecture which showed many of the publishing centers of this denomination in the various countries of the globe.

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## HORSES

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Palmer Building  
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### FOR SALE.

I have listed for sale several quarters of raw land at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$12.00 per acre.

Several quarters of improved land adjoining Blackfalds at prices to suit purchasers.

A half section at \$15.00 per acre \$1000 cash, balance in five equal annual payments with interest at 6 per cent.

A well improved grain farm of 480 acres for \$10,000. Terms to suit.

A well improved section of 640 acres southern slope, good grain land, at \$17.00 per acre. Good Terms.

A quarter section improved, grocery and post office in connection with residence on same, \$2500. One-third cash, balance to suit.

Village property for sale and to rent.

Apply to, JAMES MCNICOL, Blackfalds.

### Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties: Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may preempt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate fifty acres estate.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

W. W. CLYDE, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

**Plymouth Rocks for Sale.**  
Anyone requiring some good breeding hens and cockerels of the Plymouth and Barred breeds, call on or write T. A. BRERETON, Clive, Alta.

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At 8 per cent.  
FARMS FOR SALE OR RENT.  
Town Residences for sale or rent.  
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**W. S. MOONEY, Lacombe**  
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SEE  
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Carry a complete stock of British Columbia Cedar and Fir Lumber, Shingles and Lath.  
Native Boards and Dimensions, also Windows, Doors, Mouldings, &c.  
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Get our prices before you buy as we will not be undersold.  
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Contracts taken to fill ice houses.  
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Call up Phone 76

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The Bank has 140 Branches and Agencies distributed throughout Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia. Correspondents at all the principal cities of the U.S.  
We offer you every facility in up-to-date banking. Your business given prompt and careful attention. Accounts of Ranchers, Merchants and others received on favorable terms.  
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We receive deposits of \$1.00 upwards and allow interest at highest current rate.  
**A. BELCHER,**  
Manager, Lacombe Branch.



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If not it would pay you to look at our New Spring and Summer Suitings, as we have just unpacked our second shipment of Spring and Summer Goods and have a good selection on hand. Suits ranging in price from \$24.00 to \$32.00

Our New Spring and Summer READY-TO-WEARS

Just unpacked. See them at from 8.50 to 22.00  
Agency Snowflake Laundry — Cleaning, Repairing, Pressing

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The Local Improvement Act, Educational Tax Act, Village Act and the School Assessment Ordinance.

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of the Local Improvement Act, Educational Tax Act, Village Act and the School Assessment Ordinance, a Judge of the Supreme Court has appointed Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1910, at ten o'clock a.m., at the Court House in the City of Wetaskiwin, for the holding of a Court for confirmation of the Returns made under the provisions of Section 91 of The Local Improvement Act in regard to the following Local Improvement Districts; viz:—

Local Improvement Districts  
19-H-4, 20-H-4, 21-H-4, 22-H-4  
19-J-4, 20-J-4, 21-J-4, 22-J-4  
23-J-4, 19-M-4, 20-M-4, 21-M-4  
22-M-4, 23-M-4, 24-M-4, 19-N-4  
20-N-4, 21-N-4, 22-N-4, 23-N-4  
24-N-4, 19-P-4, 20-P-4, 21-P-4  
22-P-4, 23-P-4, 24-P-4, 18-R-4  
20-R-4, 21-R-4, 22-R-4, 23-R-4  
24-R-4, 18-S-4, 19-S-4, 20-S-4  
21-S-4, 22-S-4, 23-S-4, 24-S-4  
18-T-4, 19-T-4, 20-T-4, 21-T-4  
22-T-4, 23-T-4, 18-W-4, 19-W-4  
20-W-4, 21-W-4, 18-A-5, 19-A-5  
20-A-5, 21-A-5, 22-A-5, 23-A-5  
19-B-5, 20-B-5, 21-B-5, 20-C-5, 610, 611, 613, 614 and 616.

And of Section 11 of The Educational Tax Act in respect of the lands situated within the following areas; viz:—

Townships 35 to 46 in Range 10 to 14 inc W-4th M.  
Townships 35 to 48 in Range 15 to 28 inc W-4th M.  
Townships 35 to 48 in Range 1 to 10 inc W-5th M.  
And of Section 67 of The Village Act in respect of the following Villages; viz:—

Villages of Alix, Bawlf, Blackfalds, Eberta, Hardisty, Killam, Millet, Penhold and Sedgewick.  
And of Section 19 of The School Assessment Ordinance in respect of the following School Districts; viz:—

School Districts Nos. 245, 249, 251, 252, 291, 292, 303, 302, 335, 349, 351, 352, 361, 378, 383, 394, 396, 401, 404, 407, 408, 439, 446, 463, 483, 488, 492, 495, 499, 515, 517, 527, 531, 532, 543, 549, 551, 556, 561, 562, 564, 565, 566, 575, 577, 585, 586, 600, 601, 606, 607, 608, 630, 633, 636, 638, 644, 651, 657, 658, 659, 661, 665, 667, 668, 679, 686, 687, 690, 701, 702, 707, 711, 721, 722, 727, 739, 742, 745, 748, 754, 755, 758, 767, 770, 771, 772, 773, 786, 789, 790, 791, 805, 809, 818, 836, 838, 841, 843, 856, 874, 875, 880, 882, 885, 913, 925, 930, 941, 965, 971, 973, 977, 978, 979, 1014, 1018, 1038, 1044, 1049, 1053, 1064, 1073, 1129, 1135, 1166, 1173, 1178, 1183, 1186, 1193, 1204, 1207, 1223, 1245, 1224, 1247, 1282, 1302, 1427, 1430, 1434, 1437, 1445, 1449, 1451, 1452, 1333, 1453, 1458, 1459, 1489, 1504, 1506, 1511, 1512, 1517, 1520, 1522, 1526, 1536, 1545, 1552, 1555, 1565, 1568, 1572, 1579, 1580, 1582, 1576, 1588, 1590, 1601, 1602, 1607, 1608, 1617, 1618, 1620, 1621, 1628, 1630, 1636, and 1664.

Dated at Edmonton this 11th day of February 1910.

JNO PERRIE,  
Tax Commissioner,  
Department of Public Works

JOSEPH MARSHAL  
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Sales cried in any part of Alberta.  
Terms Reasonable and Satisfaction Guaranteed.  
See me for Real Estate — I have a good list.  
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SUFFOLK PUNCH  
COLT SHOW.

Offspring from Jacques Bros. Importations Make Splendid Showing.

In accordance with advertisement Messrs. Jacques Bros. held a Suffolk Punch colt show on Thursday, March 10, at their ranch near Lamerton, which must be pronounced a decided success.

The prizes offered by Messrs. Jacques Bros. were for colts foaled in 1909 sired by a Suffolk Punch.

The first prize of \$50.00 and the second of \$25.00 were for the best colts irrespective of the dam; while the third prize of \$15.00 and fourth of \$10.00 were for colts taking into consideration the mother, so that colts from cayuse mares who had quality would stand an equal chance with those from larger mares.

About one hundred people, chiefly farmers living in the neighborhood of Buffalo Lake, assembled in the morning at the ranch and were served with luncheon, Mrs. Geo. Jacques and lady friends waiting upon the guests and extending a welcome to all in a truly western hospitable fashion.

Luncheon over, everyone repaired to the corral where were some sixteen colts that had been brought to take part in the competition.

Dr. E. A. Dounis of Stettler, the popular veterinary of the district, who had been selected as judge, first explained the conditions of the competition and then proceeded to judge the colts. Such a fine lot were present that he experienced considerable difficulty in deciding and found it necessary to get from four to six in a row and carefully scan them over point by point.

After very close examination he finally awarded first prize to an eight months old filly colt from a "shire" mother weighing about 1,500 lbs. and sired by "Sproighton-Baron" a Suffolk Punch stallion imported by Messrs. Jacques Bros. The fortunate owner of the prize winner is Mr. F. Tullock, of Erskine. Second prize fell to Mr. Ole Stenson of Lamerton, for a nine months old filly colt sired by "May-King" a Suffolk Punch stallion imported by Messrs. Jacques Bros.; the dam of the colt being a cross between a Morgan sire and a cayuse, and weighing about 1,000 lbs.

Third prize was secured by W. D. Cook's nine months old horse colt sired by "Sproighton-Baron" from a cayuse mare weighing about 950 lbs.

Fourth prize went to Thomas Rider's nine months old filly colt, sired by "May-King" from a shire mare weighing about 1,300 lbs.

Mr. Cook's colt with some others had broken out of the corral during luncheon and was not brought back until the first two prizes had been awarded or it would probably have secured second place.

There was little difference between the prize winners and a number of other contestants.

H. Stephenson's 9 months old filly colt by "May-King" from a coaching mare, and Mr. Windsor's ten months old colt from a cayuse mare being particularly worthy of mention.

The judge made particular mention of the fact that not one of the colts shown had a blemish of any kind and though they were in most cases rather thin, though running out all winter with their mothers, still they were healthy and full of life yet kind as kittens.

The show proved beyond all possibility of doubt that the Suffolk Punch will cross with almost any kind of mare with good results.

In an adjoining corral to the one in which the judging took place were to be seen eleven colts belonging to the Jacques Bros. Three were purebred Suffolk Punch colts and the remainder crosses with mares of all sorts and sizes, one from a "Percheron" mare being a particularly fine specimen.

Had these colts entered the list, few if any of the prizes would have left the ranch. The Jacques Bros. both of Lamerton and Ingleton, deserve a great deal of credit for importing this fine breed of horses, as well as other purebred stock into Alberta, and it will not be out of place to mention here that the Suffolk Punch exhibition at the Stettler Fair three years ago was the largest exhibition of that breed of horses that had at that time ever

been held on the American continent. That record was beaten at the Dominion Fair held in Calgary subsequently, Messrs. Jacques Bros. in the meantime adding to their importations.

Mr. Geo. Jacques very kindly took the writer, Dr. Dennis and Mr. Bower of the Farmers' Advocate for a drive over the ranch to see the Suffolk brood mares rustling their living amongst the native grasses. There are some twelve purebred mares on the ranch and though not fat they are in good condition and apparently enjoying the best of health. That these mares raise strong healthy colts and keep in good condition without feeding or care of any kind speaks volumes for the hardiness of the breed, and we opine that the better the Suffolk Punch becomes known, more popular will the breed be.

"Rendlesham Matcham," the head of the Stud at present, is a handsome four-year-old and a particularly fine animal. A two-year-old stallion imported for sale is also a handsome beast.

Messrs. Jacques Bros. are importing ten stallions in time for the Regina fair this summer and it is probable that a number of these will be present at the Calgary Fair the first two weeks in June.

L. I. D. No. 20-T-4.

Lacombe, March 12, 1910. Council met, all being present, with Jas. Sharp in chair.

Minutes of previous meeting read, and it was moved by Gralapp, seconded by Jenkins, that they be adopted as read. Carried.

Moved by Jenkins seconded by Gralapp, that the revised assessment roll as presented by secretary be accepted and passed. Carried.

Moved by Gralapp seconded by Jenkins, that the secretary be instructed to procure two "Little Western Graders" on the terms offered by Messrs. Limited, of Winnipeg. Carried.

Moved by Gralapp seconded by Jenkins, whereas the secretary was instructed to purchase a safe, for the safe keeping of the books and records of the district, the price to be thirty-five dollars, and he not getting the one he had in view, be it resolved that he be instructed to get one at the price of fifty-five dollars cash. Carried.

Moved by Gralapp seconded by Connell, that pay sheet No. 2 amounting to \$165.55 be passed, the chairman authorized to sign it, and secretary instructed to pay the same. Carried.

Moved by Gralapp seconded by Lealie, that each councillor shall be appointed a committee to superintend the work in his own division. Carried.

Moved by Jenkins seconded by Connell, that the meeting be adjourned to the last Saturday in May. Carried.

E. WALTER SIMPSON,  
Sec. Treas. 20-T-4.  
JAS. SHARP, Chairman.

Rural Telephone Extension.

A meeting of the Farmers of the Lacombe district was held in the Adelphi hotel last Wednesday to meet Mr. G. N. Bark, Inspector of Rural telephones. The farmers of that district want the present line extended about 8 miles farther. A sufficient number of signed contracts from the locality desiring the extension were presented at the meeting and the line will be completed as soon as possible.

This line will be a new one direct from Lacombe and not an extension on the present one that ends out about eight miles, though the new line will be placed on those poles as far out as they go.

Another new line will be built from Lacombe in the direction of Chigwell. It will be about four miles long and will pass about three miles north of that place.

Other telephone extensions will also be made this season. A new line will be built from Bentley to Rimbeey, a rural line will run out from Rimbeey, and still another will go out of Alix.

With the support of fifty subscribers up to the present time, these extensions will be made as soon as possible during the present year.

The subscription price per year on all rural lines pending out of Lacombe has previously been \$15 whereas it will be \$18 hereafter.

The present contracts previously signed to run for three years will however remain good, but a renewal of same will be made at the new price of \$18. Rural subscribers hereafter will pay the same amount as is charged for residential phones in the town or city from which the rural line leads, hence rural subscribers on lines leading from Lacombe will pay \$18. These are rules governing rural lines going out from Edmonton, Calgary, High River and other places.

Dubois Gets 10 Years.

John F. Dubois was convicted at Red Deer last week on two charges of cattle stealing, five being formerly preferred against him, but two were thrown out owing to lack of evidence, and the third was withdrawn. He was sentenced by Judge Scott to five years in the Edmonton penitentiary on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently.

Musical Festival.

The Annual Alberta Musical Festival will be held at Edmonton on May 3rd, 4th and 5th. It will commence with a band competition in the Thistle rink on the evening of Tuesday, May 3rd, and conclude with a concert by the massed choirs and the winning competitors on the evening of Thursday, May 5th. The adjudicators this year will be secured direct from Montreal and will be two of the most prominent musicians procurable.

Mr. John McNeil, late of Prince Edward Island, has purchased the E. A. Rowland farm near Iowatha, and will go out in a few days.

Letters received at the Dominion Lands Office here, would indicate that a large number of immigrants will be coming to the Lacombe district this spring.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

Prince Albert, Sask.—Alfred McGillivray, a blacksmith in one of the lumbering camps, was brought to the city to Victoria hospital suffering from a severe cash in his left hip. McGillivray, it is claimed, got mixed up in a row in a house of ill repute across the river and was stabbed by a well known local man. McGillivray claims to have been robbed of \$150 and a check for \$200. The police are working on the case and an arrest is expected soon. McGillivray is in a serious condition and will be laid up for a month.

The Public Commissioners of Calgary have decided to put six additional men on the force, by the first of April. Calgary's police force number will then be thirty-one.

Hon. George E. Foster has been absent from the house at Ottawa for nearly a fortnight. He is confined to his bed. His illness, however, is not serious and he is expected to be around again in a few days.



For Sale by

Lacombe Produce Co.

LAND WANTED

Our Second party of Land Buyers from the United States will arrive here in a few days. Now is the time to let your farms for sale. You know what we have done in the past, our prospects for selling farm lands are better than ever, come in to our office and place your farms on our list if you wish to sell this Spring.

The Western Canada Land & Brokerage Co., Ltd.  
J. W. LUNDY, Land Salesman W. S. MOONEY, Mgr.

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LIVERY, FEED and SALE

Good Horses and Rigs always on hand.  
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CONVERSE & CURTIS, Proprietors

FOR SALE

One Five-Year-old  
Saddle Pony  
Mare

One General Purpose Horse,  
Broken to Saddle.

The Western Implement Co.

G. H. McFETRIDGE, Manager

NOTICE.

The Lacombe Board of Trade will furnish, free of charge, to parties wishing to send them to friends at a distance the new booklet descriptive of Lacombe district, and will also furnish envelopes.

Application should be made at the office of the Secretary. If preferred you can leave names and addresses, and the Board will mail the booklets. We invite your assistance in advertising the district.

JOHN MCKENTY,  
Secretary.





## Groceries

## FLOUR

We guarantee every sack we sell.  
Our

**"Prairie Pride"**  
at \$3.25 per 98 lbs. is made of No. 1 Hard Wheat, and equal to any other best brand on the market.

**"Big Loaf"**  
at \$3.05 per 98 lbs. is our second grade, guaranteed equal to any second grade brand.

## CEREALS

B & K. Rolled Oats, 8 lbs.	35
" " " 30 lbs.	77 1/2
" " " 40 lbs.	1.50
" " " 50 lbs.	2.90
Fine Oatmeal in 10 lbs. only	45
Granulated Wheat in 8 lbs.	37 1/2
Granulated Wheat made at Lacombe Flour Mill, 49 lbs.	1.25
Roller Wheat in 8 lbs. only	37 1/2
Graham Flour, 8 lbs.	35
" " 49 lbs.	1.70
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	40
Cornmeal, 10 lb.	35
" " 49 lb.	1.60

Rice, Finest Japan, per lb.	06
Rice, per 50 lb. sack	2.40
Tapioca, Pearl per lb.	64
Sago, Finest, per lb.	64
Beans, hand picked, per lb.	54
Beans, per bushel	3.10
Beans, Lima, per lb.	74
Split Peas, per lb.	11
Green Peas, per lb.	6
Pearl Barley, per lb.	54
Pot Barley, per lb.	44
Maccaroni, per pkg.	12 1/2
Vermicelli, per pkg.	12 1/2
Malta Vita, per pkg.	1.25
" per doz.	2.60
Cream of Wheat, per pkg.	25
" per doz.	2.60
Quaker Puffed Rice, per doz.	1.1
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, pkg.	15
" doz.	1.60
Postum Cereal, per pkg.	25
Grape Nuts, per pkg.	16
" per doz.	1.85
Backsheat Flour, per pkg.	16
Toasted Corn Flakes, per pkt.	10

## SYRUPS

## EDWARDSBURG CORN SYRUP

5 lbs.	35
10 lbs.	65
20 lbs.	1.25

LYLE'S GOLDEN SYRUP	
Pure Cane 2 lbs.	25
4 lbs.	45
MAPLE SYRUP (Pride of Can.)	
Quart bottle	50
Half gallon tin	95
Mapeline, 2 oz bottle	45
Syrup, bulk, can, per lb.	.05
Molasses, bulk, per lb.	.06
Molasses, 3 lb. tin	25
" 5 "	40
Honey, pure, 2 1/2 lb. tin	55
Honey, pure, 1 lb. comb.	25

CANNED GOODS	
Tomatoes per can	12 1/2 doz. 1.45
Corn "	11 " 1.30
Peas "	12 1/2 " 1.45
Beans "	12 1/2 " 1.40
Pumpkin "	15 " 1.70
Strawberries "	20 " 2.25
Raspberries "	22 1/2 " 2.50
Peaches "	22 1/2 " 2.40
Pears "	20 " 2.25
Plums "	20 " 2.15
Pineapple "	15 " 1.70
Blueberries "	14 " 1.60

## EVAPORATED FRUITS

EVAPORATED APPLES	
Per lb.	12
25 lb. boxes	2.85
50 lb. boxes	5.50

## EVAPORATED PRUNES

Per lb.	.08
10 lb. boxes 90-100	75
15 lb. box 60-70	85
25 lb. boxes 90-100	1.70
25 lb. boxes 60-70	2.10

## EVAPORATED PEACHES

Extra choice, per lb.	12 1/2
10 lb. box	1.25
25 lb. box	2.60

## EVAPORATED APRICOTS

Extra choice, per lb.	20
10 lb. box	1.90
25 lb. box	4.50

## EVAPORATED PEARS

Choice per lb.	15
25 lb. box	3.50

## FIGS

Natural per lb.	7
26 lb. mats	1.90

## CURRANTS (Rochester)

Fine Filiatras, per lb.	11
1 lb. packets	12

## RAISINS

Finest Valencia, per lb.	12
7 lb. box	80
14 lb. box	1.50
28 lb. box	2.85

## FINEST MUSCATELS

Per lb.	10
10 oz. pkgs	9

## FINEST SULTANAS

Per lb.	12 1/2
12 oz. pkgs	12 1/2

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## NEW LINOLEUMS

Our New Linoleums afford customers a splendid choice of patterns and colors in

2 yard, 3 yard and 4 yard widths  
and also in Stair and Hall widths

Importing these Linoleums direct we can give our customers values equal to those obtainable anywhere on the continent, no matter where.

**When you buy Linoleums**  
from us we know, and you should know, the values you get are the best.

## Still opening up New Goods

## Zephyrs and Gingham

straight from the looms to ourselves

12 1/2 c. and 15 c. per yard

beautifully woven goods, nice new patterns, absolutely fast colors, altogether the best values and most attractive to the test of hand and eye which were ever laid before you.

**Also New Hosiery**  
for Ladies in Black and Tan Cotton of superior finish, elastic, the choice of the market for value at per pair **20c.**

And for Boys and Children, the square knit durable brand at per pair **25c. and 30c.**

**Men's Spring Socks** at 15c. and 20c. pair are the best values yet shown.

## MILLINERY OPENING Wednesday, 23rd March

## Garden Seeds

2 1/2 c. per packet

4 assorted packets 10c.

10 assorted packets 25c.

BEANS	
1 Golden Wax	
2 Long 6 weeks	
Both extra early	
BEETS	
3 Egyptian Blood, extra early	
4 Blood Turnips	
5 Eclipse Early	
6 Half Long Blood	
CABBAGE	
7 Early Jersey Wakefield	
8 Early Winningstadt	
9 Early York	
10 Henderson's Early Sum	
11 Drumhead, late	
CAULIFLOWER	
12 Early Dwarf Erfurt	
13 Henderson's Snow Ball	
SQUASH	
14 English Vege. Marrow	
CARROTS	
15 Improved Long Orange	
16 Danver's Half Long	

17 Early Scarlet Horn	
18 Scarlet Intermediate	
CORN	
19 Squaw, native of the West	
CELERY	
20 Golden West, self blanch	
21 Giant Pascal	
CRESS	
22 Extra Triple Curled	
CUCUMBERS	
23 Long Green	
24 Early Frame	
HERBS	
25 Summer Savory	
26 Sage	Thyme
27 Sweet Marjoram	
TURNIPS	
28 Early Snow Ball	
LETTUCE	
29 Simpson's Early Curled	
30 Denver's Market	
31 Australian Market	
32 Prize Head	

ONIONS	
33 Yellow Globe Danvers	
34 Large Red Weatherfield	
PEAS	
35 American Wonder	
36 McLean's Little Gem	
PARSLEY	
37 Moss Dwarf Curled	
PARSNIPS	
38 Hollow Crown	
RADISHES	
39 Scarlet Turnip	
40 Ne Plus Ultra	
41 French Breakfast	
42 Long Scarlet	
43 Early Scarlet	
TOMATOES	
43a Early Beauty	

## Flower Seeds

44 Asters, Finest Mixed	
45 Balsam, Double Mixed	
46 Candytuft, Fine Mixed	
47 Carnation, Fine Mixed	
48 Crysanthemum Mixed	
49 Escholtzia (California Poppy)	
50 Lobelia, Finest Mixed	
51 Nasturtium Climbing Mixture	
52 Nasturtium Dwarf mixture	
53 Alyssum	
54 Canary Bird	
55 Hollyhock	
56 Marigold	
57 Mignonette mixed	
58 Pansy fancy mixture	
59 Petunia finest mixture	

## FLOWER SEEDS - Cont.

60 Phlox finest mixed	
61 Portulaca, finest mixed	
62 Poppy, double mixed	
63 Verbena finest mixed	
64 Wallflower, finest mixed	
65 Zinnia Double	
66 Sweet Peas, Eckford	
67 Morning Glory	

## Bulk Seeds

American Wonder Peas	per lb. 18c
Premium Gem Peas	" 18c
Golden Wax Beans	" 20c
Mammoth Long Red Mangel	" 45c
Early white flat Dutch Turnip	" 30c
Purple Top Swede	" 25c
Dwarf Essex Rape	" 11c

## BULK SEEDS - Cont.

Early scarlet Turnip Radish per oz.	5c
Early Blood Turnip Beet	" 4c
Long Blood Beet	" 4c
Half Long Dwarf Carrot	" 4c
Oxheart	" 4c
Yellow Globe Danvers Onion	" 15c
Red Weathersfield Onion	" 15c
Australian Brown Onion	" 15c

## Grass Seeds

White Dutch Clover	per lb. 30
Alsike Clover	" 25
Timothy Seed	" 8
Western Rye Grass	" 15
Kentucky Blue Grass	" 27 1/2
Alfalfa	" 27 1/2
Red Clover	" 27 1/2
Brome Grass	" 15
Flax Seed	" 6

## MARKET REPORT

Nothing new to report, and really in the circumstances no news is good news, in most products, for prices could hardly go higher.

**Remember we pay cash for your Produce.**

## Groceries

## Black Indo-Ceylon Blend Tea

Tea is the favorite drink of English speaking people, & in no section of our grocery department is more care exercised in the buying and handling of goods than here, and in respect of no other article in our store are we more ambitious to give you the best value.

**Our Special Blend Black Tea** at 35c per lb. 3 lbs. for 1.00 is, as its name indicates, a special blend of extra value of Ceylon and India Tea. The Ceylon gives it its pleasant, wholesome flavor, while the India grown tea gives it strength and richness of liquor.

Try this tea and you will see what quality we can give at a moderate price.

For a cheap Tea, equal in cup quality to what is generally sold at 10c. per lb. more, we recommend our **Black Tea** at per lb. .... 35c.

For a tea that partakes of some of the higher priced Teas we have a **Black Assam Blend** at .... 30c.

Our next price is our special Blend of **Indo-Ceylon Teas** at per lb. 35c or 3 lbs. for \$1.00

**Our Orange Pekoe Black Tea** ... 40c. Will give satisfaction to all except those who insist on the finest leaf, and for those we have the

**Golden Tip Pekoe** at .... 50c. This is the highest price tea we keep, and we promise it to be equal to the fancy priced teas, for we buy our teas direct from the Orient, and sell them at a reasonable advance on cost. We do not make teas the profit-maker for other goods.

## GREEN TEAS

In the process of fixing and packing the leaf gets broken more or less, and these broken leaves are put up as siftings, which consist in part of the best qualities. We have extra value in **Green Tea Siftings** per lb. 15c

Uncolored Japan Tea in 3 1/2 packets at \$1.00 1 lb. packets, at .35 Our best Green Tea is the first pickings and is of specially delicate flavor, per lb. .... 40

## COFFEES

We would like very much to have the Coffee patrons among our customers try our Coffees. In pure aroma and strength of liquor, we are confident they will find them 10c. per lb. superior to what is generally sold.

## Green Coffees

Rio	per lb. 15
Salvador	" 17 1/2
Ecuador	" 20

## Roast Coffees

Rio	per lb. 20
"	5 lb. 50
Rio	10 lb. 1.75
Santos	per lb. 25
"	5 lb. 1.10
"	10 lb. 2.10
Our Special Blend	per lb. 30
"	5 lb. 1.35
"	10 lb. 2.60
Java and Mocha	per lb. 35
Patterson's Camp Coffee and Chicory	per lb. 40

## COCOS

Lowney's Cocoa	1/2 lb. 15
"	1 lb. 25
Fry's Cocoa	1/2 lb. 30
Van Houten's Cocoa	1/2 lb. 30
Cadbury's Cocoa and Milk	1/2 lb. 30
Opicory	per lb. 30

## CHOCOLATES

Baker's	1/2 lbs. 25
Lowney's	1/2 lbs. 20
Lowney's Chocolate Powder	1/2 lb. tins. 22 1/2

## COCOANUT

Schepps' 1/2 lbs.	11
Schepps' 1/2 lbs.	20
Cocoanut shredded, lb.	22 1/2

## MILK &amp; CREAM

Condensed Milk, Silver Cow or Reindeer	15
Evaporated Cream, Aylmer or St. Charles	12 1/2
Milk, per doz.	1.70
Cream, per doz.	1.35



# Preparing for Millions.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture for the Dominion, has said that when the census of Canada is taken next year the population will number eight million. In 1901 the figures were 5,771,416. If his prophecy is borne out in the actual census next year, it will mean an increase in ten years of nearly ninety per cent. That is a matter of contemplation. It is more than that. It is a matter that should make the people of Canada look into the future for the next succeeding decade.

If the rate of increase is no greater than it has been during the past decade, the population of 1920 will reach fifteen million. But if the records of other nations, notably that of the United States, can be taken as a basis of calculation there is no doubt but that the increase hereafter will be much greater than it heretofore has been. The larger population will be the means of attracting more people. The country gets to be better known as it becomes larger. The result is that as every person in the country acts as a means to, would bring others here, there will be an ever-increasing rate of growth. That has been the history of the United States. As the greatness of the area of Canada becomes known and the power it has of accommodating and providing for a large population is appreciated, the immigration will be increasingly large every year. Under these circumstances it would not be a wild guess to estimate that by 1920 the population of Canada would be twenty million, or even twenty-five and possibly thirty million.

Of this increase there is no doubt but what the part of Canada west of the Great Lakes will get from two-thirds to three-fourths, for, while a large proportion of the immigration stays in the East, an increasing number of eastern Canadians will continue to come West.

The flood of incoming settlers will bring with it responsibilities that must be met and preparation should be made to be ready for them as they come. The authorities that have to do with government, with law enforcement, with education and with religion have enormous tasks ahead of them. These promises to be overwhelming unless they are foreseen and prepared for. Providing transportation for four times as many people and their produce as are in Western Canada today, within the next ten years is no small problem. Providing the machinery of justice and law enforcement for four times as many people as are now in the country is a task. Providing schools and teachers for the incoming flood of population will be no small undertaking. The churches of the country having found the difficulty they have in providing for the immigration that has been have a still greater problem before them in providing for the immigration that is to be.

Some alarmists infer that the problem of Canadianizing the millions coming to this country is too great an undertaking to have hopes of accomplishment. Such fears should not be entertained and are not worthy of a Canadian with a faith in his country and his people. With judicious care exercised in attracting people to the country, with the leaders of the people possessed of the responsibilities resting upon them and with the great bulk of the population prepared to support every undertaking that makes for better enforcement of law, for education, for religion, for social and political purity, and for good citizenship generally, there need be no fears for the future; without these and all of these fears may well be entertained.

London, March 19.—Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George is on the verge of what his friends fear is a physical collapse. He left yesterday for Brighton for a six weeks' rest. The chancellor plainly shows the results of the terrible work and worry he has undergone in the last six months. "I simply need a brief rest," he said, in taking leave of his friends, but the latter are afraid he is over-fatigued. The political situation is still as complicated that it is not believed the chancellor will submit to as long a period of inactivity as his condition requires.

# CLIVE

With the return of spring birds the geese and the ducks we have every reason to believe that spring is here.

With radiant splendor the old sun is patrolling its regular course but with enlarged area and the regular routine of the season's work is well commenced.

The auction sale at A. W. Joslyn's on Thursday last was a success from every standpoint. The weather was all that could be desired and as Mr. Joslyn had everything in good condition the bidding was not slow. In respect to Mr. and Mrs. Joslyn as old residents of the community a surprise party was tendered them at their home on Friday evening last by about fifty neighbors and friends. A very enjoyable evening was spent after which Mr. and Mrs. Joslyn were each presented with a small gift as a token of the respect in which they have always been held by their friends. Mr. Joslyn replied in a few well fitting remarks and all gave expression to the wish that their removal to the Great Okanagan Valley might afford yet richer and a greater volume of opportunity.

We were glad to welcome Canon Robinson of the Lacombe English Church on Friday last. After a religious service conducted by Canon Robinson, a business meeting was held and for some time an interesting discussion as to the propriety of building a church at Clive was continued. An agreement was brought before the appointed committee whereby N. W. Meadows donated a very suitable site on which to build a church. It is understood that the Pleasant Valley organization will amalgamate with Clive in the undertaking of this work. About one half of the amount required to build the church has already been subscribed. With the list that will soon be circulated we hope for the balance to be soon contributed. We certainly wish the people of the English church across in their undertaking.

N. W. Meadows made a business trip to Clive last week.

The International Harvester Co. have established their agency with R. B. Wilkinson & Co., and we are informed that some good sales have already been effected.

N. W. Meadows has taken the Massey-Harris agency. Business is sure to pick up.

You will notice in another column that A. C. Johnstone has exclusive control for this district of Billie's Gopher Poison. We have proven beyond any doubt that this preparation will kill gophers and we hope that there will not be a gopher left by the end of the season to tell the tale.

Miss Walls Reynolds of Stettler who has been visiting her parents for a few days returned to Stettler on Monday.

Business is brisk at Clive. Come and be one with us.

## AUCTION SALE.

Under instructions by the owner, Mr. J. R. Carter, I will sell, at his farm, the S.E. 1/4 of section 24-41-26, W. 4th, 1 mile east and 2 miles south of Morinville, 6 miles north and 5 east of Lacombe, 8 miles south and 1 west of Ponoka, and 3 miles north and 3 west of Okaville.

on MONDAY, MARCH 28th, 1910 At ten o'clock sharp, the following property:

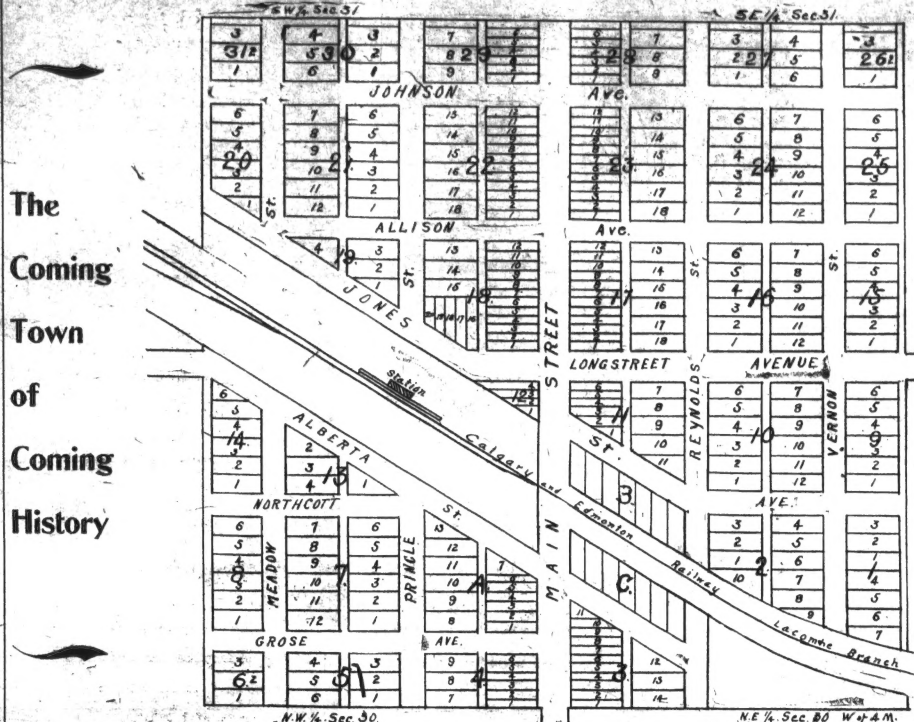
9 HORSES  
Team black geldings, well matched, 4 and 5 yrs. old, 2600 lbs.; matched team of sorrel mares, 6 and 9 yrs. old, 2200 lbs., one with foal; Chestnut mare, 4 yrs. old, 1800 lbs.; Black mare, 8 yrs. old, 1250 lbs., with foal; large two-year-old filly, pair yearling fillies, well matched.

19 CATTLE  
6 cows, three with calf at foot, rest to be fresh soon; 2 three-year-old steers, 2 two-year-old steers, 2 year-old heifer, 5 yearling calves.

IMPLEMENTS, Etc.  
Hamilton wagon, 24 by 34, almost new; top buggy, complete with pole and shafts, in first class condition; Massey-Harris mower and rake, McCormick binder, 6 ft. cut; Cantona disc harrow, 14x18, with trunks, new; gang plow, 12 in. bottom, brush breaker, 14 in., set of drag harrows, 6 sections; 2 sets of work harness, set of light driving harness, saddle, pair bob sleighs, about 12,000 ft. spruce lumber, a quantity of oats and fall wheat, horse blankets, forks, axes, log chains, saws, and many other articles.

**HELLO!**  
said James Sinclair to John Jones a few days ago. "What are you reading about?" "Well, say Sinclair, I am just looking over that advt. of Clive that came out in the press a few days ago. It's pretty stout, but the best of it is, **it is every word true.** I have been out in that Pleasant and Long Valley country, and it's the

finest I've ever seen. I don't live up here, but having seen that country I purpose making an investment at once, before your town lots are advanced in price. Anyone having a few hundred dollars to invest cannot make any mistake. **Look at the plan of the townsite.** No doubt there are a number of lots sold, but there are plenty left. The inside lots are not all gone, and they are good specs.



This season will mean great things for Clive. The construction cannot yet be estimated. Any information can and will be supplied by  
**THE CLIVE TOWNSITE CO., CLIVE, ALBERTA.**  
A. C. Johnstone, Secy.-Treas. and Selling Agent.

Come to Clive, Where Natural Resources are so Numerous and Products are so Cheap

**The Pioneer Store**  
The Old Long Valley Trading Post  
Established 1903

We have just received a large consignment of  
**Dress Goods, Prints, Cashmere Cashmerettes, Boots and Shoes**  
CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

REMEMBER OUR MOTTO:  
"Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded"  
Highest Market Price paid for Produce.

**T. A. BRERETON, Prop.**

**CLIVE BILLIARD HALL**  
NEW TABLES  
LATEST LIGHTS  
Cigars, Tobacco, Confectionery, Etc.  
**HERTSLET BROS. Prop.**

**CLIVE BILLIARD HALL**  
If you want to Sell your Farm, Buy a Farm, A Loan on Your Farm, Insure Your Buildings, Insure Your Life, Buy a Marriage License or register the birth of the boy, Come to Me.  
**A. C. JOHNSTONE,**  
Notary Public,  
CLIVE - ALBERTA

WHOLESALE Government Telephone RETAIL

# THE BIG STORE

Still Doing Business In the Old Stand

**Have you treated your grain yet?**

Don't forget that you can get **Bluestone** and **Formalin** right at home. My prices on these goods are **reasonably low**, so do not fail to see me before buying your requirements.

I have secured control of the selling of the famous **Billie's Gopher Poison** for this district. There is no fooling with this stuff. **It kills Gophers** and does it quickly, will not injure any other stock.

**To Our Lady Friends and Mothers of Homes**  
I respectfully ask if you have gotten all the patterns you require for the spring suitings.

I have the exclusive agency for the **Leading Standard Patterns** and any inquiry or order for any pattern will be promptly attended to.

**A. C. JOHNSTONE, - - CLIVE**

**- Death to Gophers -**  
**Billie's Gopher Poison** is recognised as the **Greatest Gopher Exterminator on the market to-day.**

Hundreds of testimonials from residents of this district may be had on application. This poison may be procured in Lacombe at McDonald's Drug Store, and at Beatty at Dr. Evan's Drug Store.

Price per bottle **\$1.25**

**Chester Hastings**  
Sole Agent and Manufacturer for Alberta.

**Attention Farmers and Dairymen**

Do you need a Cream Separator—one that will last you 25 years? If so write me a post card. I will put a Magnet Cream Separator at your place in competition against any other one sold. No special favors asked, only inspect and try for yourself, notice a few points.

The wife can stop, wash and get ready to use again. The Magnet—in five minutes—only 6-pieces all told to wash. One piece steel skimmer—double ball bearing, low down tank, easy to turn, easy to clean. A guarantee given with every Magnet—clean skimming absolutely impossible for our bowl to run rough or scab. Write or call on.

**D. C. EBERSOLE,**  
Singer Sewing Machine Agent,  
Lacombe, Alta.



# A. M. CAMPBELL, The Leading Store

LACOMBE - ALBERTA

## Whitewear

### LADIES' RAINCOATS and DUSTERS

In offering our selection for your inspection we are giving you the choice of the most carefully selected and extensive range we have ever shown.

Every effort has been made to have the designs individual and the cloth of the best merits.



## Easter Offerings

### Your Easter Suit

is not complete without a pair of new dressy gloves.

Let us talk Kid Gloves to you.

We have Reynier brand fine kid gloves in two qualities.

INFANTA and LELIA Quality in Tans, Greys, Black and White at ..... \$1.25

BONNEVAL Quality in Tan, Browns, Navys, Greens and Black \$1.50

Suede Gloves in all shades. Each pair guaranteed fine kid.

## Wash Goods

### LADIES' WASH SUITS

Recently arrived.

This is only a partial shipment but sufficient to give you an idea of "what is what."

The styles are the creations of the best manufacturers of such lines in Canada and the prices will be as reasonable as we can possibly make them.

These suits are in colors and white.



We carry the J. and T. BELL FINE SHOES for LADIES  
We carry the Getty & Scott fine Shoes for Misses and Children

NEW and EXCEPTIONAL VALUES in  
LADIES' and GENT'S UMBRELLAS

## Men's Furnishings

Negligee Shirts, Summer Vests, Fine Half Hose, &c. A shipment per express received this week of

In this Department we are showing a fine selection of  
Men's Fine Shoes, "Invictus" Natty Hats and Caps  
Men's Neckwear.

**GROCERIES**—The freshest stock to be had, always stocked.  
A shipment of Fruit and Vegetables expected this week.

**HARDWARE**—For builders' Hardware, see us. Any-  
thing in Nails, Locks, Hinges, Paints or Varnishes, the best makes.

### Enlarging the Western Globe.

While the publishers are aware that The Western Globe, as at present, is one of the best weekly papers in Alberta, and has the second largest subscription list in the province, we have decided to still further enlarge.

Arrangements are now complete for the publishing of the Western Globe twice a week, Tuesdays and Fridays, and the first semi-weekly will be issued on April 22nd or 27th. The subscription price in Canada will remain the same, \$1.00 per year, while the price to the U.S., on account of postage, will be \$2.00 per year. The paper will be the same size as at present, 8 pages each issue.

By this change we hope to give our readers in the country the news of the province while it is news, and will practically take the place of a daily.

This change has necessitated a large expenditure for new material, but it is a move we think will be appreciated by all our patrons.

Advertisers using both editions will be charged a very slight advance over the present rates, and they will have the advantage of telling their story to the public at more frequent intervals. We feel compelled to charge advertisers a rate a little higher than present, as now our rates on contract advertising are from fifteen to fifty per cent lower than those charged by any weekly in the province (with anything approaching our circulation) and, as we remarked before, we are giving a service only exceeded by one weekly paper in the province.

### Of General Interest

See the stage effects Thursday evening at the Pekin.

Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McDermid spent Sunday in Ponoka.

Don't fail to see the Runaway Tramp at the Pekin Thursday evening, March 24.

Mr. Del Garland returned on Saturday from Saskatoon, and other Saskatchewan points.

Ask for Sherwin Williams Floorlac, a floor varnish stain that wears like iron. Sold by Morrison & Johnston.

The varnish for linoleum is Marnot, the hardest and most durable varnish known. We have it in pints, quarts and half gallons. Morrison & Johnston.

Special services for Easter will be held in the Methodist church next Sabbath, morning and evening. The choir is preparing special music. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. G. H. Bray left on Monday for points in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Thence she will continue her journey to her home at Almonte, near Ottawa.

The Easter Special services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday. Also special music. All are cordially invited.

The Pekin was crowded to the doors last week. That's the kind of a show you see in Lacombe.

The Ball given under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen of America, in Day's Hall last Thursday evening was very largely attended, the people present numbering one hundred and fifty. Fine music was rendered by McFetridge's orchestra.

If you see it at the Pekin it's always good.

James Weir, secretary of the Licensed Victuallers' Association, has given a four-page affidavit to the Government completely implicating Boyle in the attempt to tamper with Shaw (Stettler), and Boudreau (St. Albert), and it is likely that this matter will come up before a commission.

Don't forget to order your Hot & Bus early. We will deliver them in time for breakfast. The Bakery.

The ball in aid of the Hospital, announcement of which was made in last week's issue, has been postponed for the present.

To remove old paint ask for Testite. To polish your floors ask for S. W. floor wax. Morrison & Johnston.

Mrs. B. F. Bailey and daughters, Berneice and Belva have arrived home again. They have been visiting Chicago and other American points for the past two months. Mr. Bailey is expected home about April 1st.

WANTED Good, general servant, apply Mrs. C. R. Denike.

Entire change of program Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the Pekin.

Mr. Marshall Lyman spent Sunday with Lacombe friends.

W. F. Puffer, M.P.P., arrived home on Saturday from the Capital where the House is adjourned until the 28th prox.

Senator Talbot will remain in town until after Easter holidays.

Why do you go to the Pekin? Because the show is refined, up-to-date and always good.

It is reported that Hon. Sidney Fisher will leave the Commons and become a senator at the close of the present session. The upper house will get the portfolio for which it has been clamoring and will also get a real, live member. Mr. Fisher is one of the best types in the Canadian cabinet. He is minister of agriculture and practical farmer.

House cleaning is now on us, and we are fully prepared to meet all demands. We have in stock this year a larger assortment of the Sherwin Williams paints and varnishes than ever. Drop in and talk paint—Morrison & Johnston.

Turkey is building a navy and have placed contracts for two battleships and a cruiser, the nucleus of the new Turkish navy, with a firm in London, Eng. The order represents an expenditure of \$11,000,000.

The ladies of St. Cyprian church will give a tea and hold a sale of home-made cooking at Mrs. Young's on April 2nd. Many delicacies are being prepared for the occasion.

If you want to fill up the cracks in the floor or wall ask for S. W. crack and seam filler. Sold by Morrison & Johnston.

Hon. Frank Oliver is telling the people down East in loud, vigorous tones, that, if they wish to see the real Canadian spirit they should come West and Hon. Frank is telling the truth, though there will be Easterners who will say that he is treating them to a generous dose of meaningless words. Any person, who comes from the East and locates here, speedily notices the difference in the spirit of the East and the West. In the East, Dreadnoughts and the Ger-

man scare are subjects that are being talked to death; in the West there is rarely mention made of either. If, however, a real issue were to arise, involving either Dreadnoughts or the German peril, the West would not remain quiescent for a moment. Until such time, however, talk is useless. What Canada should do and what Canada is going to do in the matter of Imperial defence are very well understood in the West and the East would be better off if it were to imitate our calm frame of mind and cease its manueverings about the nightmare of armed invasion and the destruction of the British Empire. Any time the cataclysm of war is going to sweep the British Empire off the face of the globe, we shall be given ample warning and until such time, worry will be a waste of energy.

President Taft, Earl Grey Gov. Gen. of Canada, and Governor Hughes of New York, attended a banquet of the University club held at Albany, N. Y., on March 21st.

Announcement is made by the department of the interior that sales of undesignated school lands will take place at Camrose and Medicine Hat during the spring or summer, dates to be fixed later.

F. Butcher & Son are having their saw mill repaired, and expect to have it in running order today or tomorrow.

The Saturday matinee at the Pekin Theatre was well attended. A few pieces of the band formed a circle in front of the theatre and rendered some fine music. See the program for tonight and Thursday evening.

Hospital Fund: A Friend, \$5.00; Miss Bidleman, pair sheets; C. Staack, 10 barrels soft water; clerk in Campbell's Store, pair sheets; social at Milton school, \$25.00.

The Ladies of the Methodist Church will hold a sale of home made cooking in the Club rooms on Saturday, March 26, from three to six o'clock.

Mrs. Giberson will be at Urquhart's store on Saturday afternoon next with a fine selection of Easter flowers, all in bloom. Call and look at them.

The impression given by an item in our paper last week that the afternoon tea given by Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Tisworth in honor of Mrs. Spice on Friday last, was an open event is erroneous. The tea was intended to be by invitation only, and our reporter put the item in without the knowledge of either of the ladies. We make this correction by request.

The McFetridge chopping mill has been closed for some days, and on Thursday the engine was shipped to Calgary.

In speaking of the immigrants coming to Canada, Dr. H. Bryce, chief medical officer of the Department of the Interior, says: "There is a great improvement in the class of immigration coming to Canada this year, and 1910 will show a new record both to numbers and quality. The immigrants are a better class than those who came last year, and a very great improvement over those who came in former years."

A. E. Farncombe arrived Saturday on the east train to spend Sunday in town.

The immigration into Canada for the month of February was 10,162 as compared with 4,791 for February of last year, an increase of 112 per cent.

A militia order announces that Lieut.-Col. Steele has been appointed to the command of the Strathcona Horse, Royal Canadians. It is further announced that Col. Steele will command and administer military district No. 10 in addition to his other duties.

According to the report of the minister of lands, forests and mines, for Ontario, the timber output of the province for the season of 1909-1910 was from sixty to one hundred millions more than last year. The total revenue from the woods and forests for ten months was \$886,892.44; the entire revenue of the department being \$2,028,224.48 during the same period. The mining revenue was \$254,114.78. The silver output of Cobalt is placed at probably more than 25,000,000 ounces. The province now produces between 60 and 70 per cent. of the world's supply of nickel.

The annual meeting of the Social and Moral Reform executive

of Saskatchewan was held last week in Regina, at which the fact was given out that 150 land option contracts are expected to take place some time during the year.

Mildred Mead, of Lockhart, is in the hospital at present suffering from a broken thigh. While tending to his cattle on Wednesday evening he had the misfortune to trip and fall heavily to the ground, the fracture resulting. As Mr. Mead lives alone, it was some time before neighbors found him, when he was immediately taken into La-

combe for treatment. Under the care of Dr. Bryce he is resting easily, although it will be several weeks before he will be on his feet again. As he is unable to look after the live stock on his farm, he has given Auctioneer Dameron instructions to sell his cattle by auction on Saturday next. 12 months time is offered on bankable notes.

For Sale at Sacrifice—1 only iron bed and springs; 1 roll top desk, oak; kitchen stove; three rain barrels; wicker rocking chair. Apply D. W. Spice, at Cummings cottage.

**I Offer**  
**17 Choice Lots**  
**in the Townsite of Lamerton**  
adjoining, but not cut by, the new G. T. P. branch,  
**Cheap for Cash**  
to close an estate. Clear Title.  
Full particulars on application.  
**JOHN McKENTY,**  
Assignee.

## The Alberta

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The Alberta Drug Co. have no trouble. We buy for Cash, take our discounts and save money for our customers. We only have one store but stock enough for 4. Bring along a bottle any size and we will fill at the following price with 40%  
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